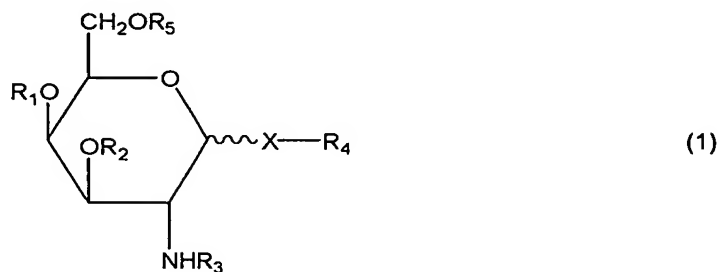


ABSTRACT

A galactosamine derivative represented by the following formula (1):



wherein R_1 , R_2 and R_5 each independently represents SO_3^- or H , and at least one of them represents SO_3^- ; R_3 represents H , acetyl or SO_3^- ; R_4 represents H , a substituted or unsubstituted alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted acyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted aryl group, or a substituted or unsubstituted aralkyl group; X represents O , S , NH or CH_2 ; and \sim represents an α bond or a β bond, and a sulfotransferase inhibitor comprising the derivative.